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CARSWELL & CO.,

Langley Street,

WILL SELL

FROM THEIR STOCK

At Reduced Prices,

FOR THIRTY DAYS,

After which the balance of the stock remaining on hand will be

Sold at Auction,

They having determined to retire from their General importing business.

THE STOCK CONSISTS OF

LIQUORS!

IN BULK.

De La Fontera Sherries,
Kenneth McKenzie's Whisky,
Vine Grower's Brown Brandy,
British Brandy, Brown,
Kenneth McKenzie's OldTom,
Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry,
West India Rum Shrub,
Old Rye Whisky, &c.

IN BOTTLE.

Champagne,
Sparkling Moselle,
" Hock,
Scotch Ale,
Robert Porter's Porter in pints,
Angelica Wine,
California Bitters,
Pale Sherry, &c.

SUNDRIES.

Half Chests Tea,
Price's Belmont Sperm Candles,
Crimean Shirts,
Chipping Norton Tweeds and Does,
Ladies' Mantles and Shawls,
Pea and Reefing Jackets,
Tweed and Doe Pants, &c.

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LADIES' ENGLISH PATENT LEVERS,

In Beautifully Engraved Gold Cases.

C. REDFERN,

Government Street,

(Next Colonial Restaurant.)

HAS JUST RECEIVED PER LAST steamer direct from England, a small assortment of

Ladies' Size Patent Lever Watches.

Of the first quality and best workmanship, in beautifully Engraved and engine-turned GOLD CASES.

As the assortment is limited in number, an early application should be made to prevent disappointment.

The fair value allowed in exchange for OLD WATCHES JEWELRY, &c., &c.

Stock Marked in Plain Figures.

AT LONDON PRICES.

One or two first class Second-hand Watches.

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New Millinery Store!

MRS. HEIN,

Having removed to her

NEW BRICK STORE

—ON—

Government street, near Broughton,

And having just opened

A LARGE AND ELEGANT STOCK OF

HATS,
BONNETS,
RIBBONS,
LACES,
CLOAKS,
FLOWERS,

And every other article to be found in a

Complete Assortment of Millinery.

Would respectfully solicit a continuance of public patronage.

HATS, BONNETS, HEAD DRESSES, &c.,

Made to order upon the shortest possible notice.

oc15 1m

MONEY LENT

—AT THE—

STAR OFFICE

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Nearly opposite

THE THEATRE,

Sol. H. Lichtenstein,

PROPRIETOR.

THIS PLACE HAS BEEN OPENED for the purpose of general trading in buying and selling all and every kind of Goods, Wares, and Jewellry.

Diamond Ear Rings, Diamond Rings and Pins, Watches and Chains, always on hand for sale.

Gold Dust Bought, as also old Gold and Silver.

oc22 1m

GEORGE BARNETT,

LAND AGENT

AND

STOCK AND SHARE BROKER

GOVERNMENT STREET.

oc29 4m

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Union Wharf,

VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND

oc11 tf

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

Auctioneers & Commission Merchants,

WHARF STREET au

NOTICE

To House and Hotel Keepers, Miners, Farmers, Carpenters, and others.

T. P. FREEMAN

WILL SELL AT THE PIONEER VARIETY STORE, ON WADdington street, for thirty days, at the very lowest prices, the Largest Assortment of Goods in the City, consisting in part of

250 doz. Plates,
150 " Cups and Saucers,
90 " China Plates,
60 " " Cups and Saucers,
— " " Tea Sets,
100 " Bowls,
70 Chamber Sets,
Glass Sugar Bowls,
" Butter Plates,
" Salt Cellars,
" Plates,
Bar and Wine Glasses,
250 doz. Tumblers,
Large and Small Looking Glasses.

Brown Ware, of all Descriptions.

SPIRIT KEGS, with Brass Taps, 1 to 5 gals. FILTERS, with Brass Taps, 2 to 6 gals. The only ones in the City.

LONG HANDLED SHOVELS,
SHORT " "
PICKS, AXES, HATCHETS,
FRYING PANS, SAUCE PANS,
KNIVES and FORKS, LOG CHAINS,
NAILS, CHAMBER PAILS,
LANTERNS, CANDLESTICKS,
POCKET KNIVES, TRAYS,
PLATED WARE, TIN AND WOOD do
HAND and CROSS-CUT SAWS,
CHISELS, HAMMERS, PLANES
DRAW-KNIVES, ADZES,
DOOR and PADLOCKS, FILES,
1 CHEST OF TOOLS (Second hand),
STOVES, BEDSTEADS,
GUNS, PISTOLS,
QUICKSILVER,
RAT-TRAPS.

And many Curious and Fancy Articles too numerous to mention. Call and examine for yourselves.

no2 T. P. FREEMAN.

Buy Where You Can

PURCHASE CHEAPEST.

—OO—

WM. WILSON,

Government Street,

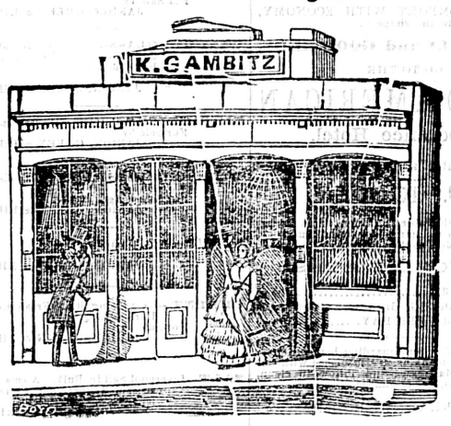
CLOTHING STORE,

Has on hand a most complete Stock of Superior

WINTER CLOTHING,

Which he is selling at Lower Prices than any other Store in Victoria. no3

Established July, 1858!



NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC!!

GREAT BARGAINS

To be had at my Establishment,

AS I AM DETERMINED to CLEAR OUT THE ENTIRE STOCK of Goods on hand, rather than store them elsewhere, being about to add another story to the premises I at present occupy, to be used as a Show Room. I am now making arrangements to import Goods direct from England and France, of the LATEST FASHIONS, etc. Therefore don't lose the present opportunity of selecting from my SPLENDID STOCK, the prices and quality of which I guarantee to give general satisfaction.

Attention is directed to the following:

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,
BRUSSELS CARPETS..... $1 00 per Yard
SUPERFINE KIDDERMINSTER DO., $1 12½ per Yard
TWO PLY Do. $1 00 "
OIL CLOTH—For Floor, best quality, $1 00 per Yard
SHEETING—1¾ yards wide, best quality, 50c. per yard.
do 2¼ yards wide, best quality, 62½c. per yard.
do 2¾ yards wide, best quality, 70c. per yard.
BROWN COTTONS—From 15 to 20cts. per yard.
ENGLISH PRINTS—Wide widths, 20 cts. per yard.
FRENCH PRINTS—25 to 30 cts. per yard.
ENGLISH and WELSH FLANNELS—37½ to 50 cts. per yard.
SAXONY FLANNELL—50 cts. to 62½ cts. per yard,
FRENCH FLANNEL—Superior quality, $1 00 to $1 12½ cts. per yard.
DELAINES—Plain and Figured, all Wool, 40, 50, and 70 cts. per yard.
FRENCH MERINOS—From $1 00 to $1 12½ per yard.
GALA PLAIDS—All Wool, from 37½ to 50 cts per yard.
RIBBED SILK AND WORSTED—Newest Styles and Colors ever imported into this town, $1 50 pr yd.
SILKS—A Large Assortment of different Colors and Patterns.
HOSIERY—A Large Assortment.
CHINESE MATTING—And a THOUSAND OTHER ARTICLES, too numerous to mention, at prices which will defy competition. oc30 1m

K. GAMBITZ,

Yates street,

Esdaile & Sharwood

TOBACCONISTS, &c.,

FORT STREET, BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND BROAD.

Have just received, direct from the manufactory, in sp endid condition, a fresh consignment of

WILLS' SHAG AND BRISTOL BIRDSEYE,

This fine Tobacco, for which the Prize Medal was obtained at the International Exhibition of 1862, is made from the finest plants, and is offered at the LOWEST PRICES.

E. & S. direct attention to the fact that this Tobacco requires no cutting up. oc16

GROCERIES.

Sporborg & Rueff,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Importers and Wholesale Dealers

—IN—

Groceries, Provisions,

Boots and Shoes.

WHARF STREET.....VICTORIA, V. I.

oc24 D&W tf

G. VIGNOLO & CO.,

No. 2 Reid's Block, Wharf Street

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

Groceries and Provisions

—ALSO—

Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every Steamer.

oc17 tf

JUST RECEIVED,

—FROM—

PARIS and LYONS

Direct.

The Latest Styles

—OF—

Silks and Satins,
Poplins, Delaines, Cashmeres,
Silk Velvet Crape,
Ladies' and Gents' Kid Gloves,
Jaconnetts, Mull and Swiss Muslin,
French Merinos,
Scotch Plaid,
Insertion Ladies and Childrens' fines Gaiters,
French Flannels.

—ALSO—

A FINE INVOICE OF

French Cassimere,
Gent's Heavy Silk and Woollen Undershirts and Drawers,

Etc.....Etc.....Etc.

—WHICH WE—

Offer to the Trade,

—AT THE—

LOWEST MARKET PRICES

REINHART BROS.

oc17 1m

F. STEMMLER. JOHN WEILEN.

F. STEMMLER & CO.

GOVERNMENT STREET, NEAR FORT,

Practical Upholsterers,

—AND—

PAPER HANGERS,

Beg to inform that they sell at greatly Reduced Prices,

Carpets,

Velvet, Brussels, Kidderminster, and Hemp.

Oil Cloth,

Scottish and American Floor Cloth, Oil Table Covers, Imitation Wood.

Matting,

Chinese and Cocoa Nut.

Hearth Rugs,

—AND—

Door Mats,

Wall Paper,

And a General Assortment of Upholstery Goods,

They also solicit the patronage of the public for Upholstery Work, viz.:

Sewing and Laying Carpets;
Making Window Curtains, Blinds and Cornices;
Repairing and Making Sofas and Lounges.
Hanging Wall Papers,
Making Spring, Hair Moss, Pulu and Straw Mattresses, etc., etc.

At the Shortest Notice, and in the most approved Styles. oc23 1m

Searby & Moore's

FLUID EXTRACT OF

SARSAPARILLA

AND

IODIDE OF POTASSIUM,

IS THE BEST PREPARATION OF THE KIND

Government street, Victoria, V.I.

oc28 1m

W. ZELNER.

ESTABLISHED IN 1858.

DENTIST,

Corner Government and Yates Streets,

VICTORIA, V. I. oc14

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

FRY'S HOTEL

—AT—

North Saanich,

IS NOW OPEN FOR THE ACCOMmodation of the public. The Proprietor has taken great pains to make this the most Superior COUNTRY HOTEL in this colony.

Accommodation for fifty guests with private Suites of Rooms for Families or Ladies. There is first class sporting in the neighborhood. Good Stabling and Horse Feed, &c.

In connection with the above is a regular

Ferry to Cowichan,

Leaving the Hotel every Tuesday and Saturday mornings, and returning from Cowichan every Monday and Wednesday.

Bowman & Halsey's Stage runs direct to the House

Attached to the Hotel is a Farm of 400 Acres of first rate land all fenced in, affording capital pasture for a number of horses and cattle of which every care will be taken, at the usual charge of one dollar per month. Parties desirous of turning their horses out to straw yard can also be accommodated.

HENRY FRY, Proprietor

North Saanich, Nov. 4th, 1863. nc5 1m

The Punch Bowl

TAVERN,

COLWOOD FARM,

IS THE

HALF-WAY HOUSE

BETWEEN

THE DIGGINGS

—AND—

VICTORIA.

Good Accommodation for Travellers,

—AND—

STABLING FOR ANIMALS.

oc26 1m

ROCK BAY HOUSE,

Between the Bridges.

WM. HARTLEY.

LATE PROPRIETOR OF THE Rock Bay Tannery, having purchased the above

WELL-KNOWN HOUSE,

Begs to inform the public that he will hereafter conduct the above establishment in the best and most approved manner. There is a

Restaurant

—AND—

Bowling Alley

On the premises, and

The Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars

Will always be kept.

Meals at all Hours!

oc8 1m*

ERNEST PICHT.

New Westminster, B.C.,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

Spirits, Wines, Ales, and Segars

ANDIES—French, H. & F. Martell, Pelevoisin and American in bulk and cases;
RUM—Jamaica and other brands;
WHISKY—Scotch, Irish, Bourbon and Monongahela in bulk and cases,
GIN—Holland in bulk and cases;
OLD TOM—Different brands;
WINES—Port, Sherry, California wines, various brands;
CHAMPAGNE, PORTER AND ALES—Different brands,
SYRUPS & BITTERS—All kinds;
HAVANNA CEGARS—Different brands.

ERNEST PICHT,

New Westminster, B.C.

BREWER AND MALTSTER,

AND DEALER IN

BREWER STOCK.

DISTILLER

AND DEALER IN

DOUBLE REFINED SPIRITS,

40 degrees over proof, superior to any; also

REFINED ALCOHOL

in Tins, 95 per cent.

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LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH

Opticians

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

OPTICAL,

Mathematical & Philosophical

INSTRUMENTS,

STEREOSCOPIC GOODS,

PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS

CARTES DE VISITE,

AND

Jos. Rodgers & Sons' Superior Cutlery.

Have for sale the largest and best assortment on the Pacific Coast, to which they would call the particular attention of the public and the trade.

Having unusual facilities for getting our goods from first hands, we feel confident that purchasers will really promote their own interests by selecting from our stock.

Complete Catalogues of Cartes de Visite Stereoscopic and other goods, sold by us, may be had on application, or will be sent to any address, by mail POSTAGE PAID.

637 Clay Street, San Francisco.

March 25. m7 p1y

Fall Races.

RACES WILL BE HELD on the Beacon Hill Race Course on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 19th and 20th November next. One Race open to all horses.

By order.

JOHN S. BISHOP,
Secretary, pro. tem.

Amateur Dramatic Association.

TO ENABLE THE COMMITTEE OF Management to make the necessary arrangements for the performances of the Association during the ensuing season, IT IS REQUESTED that all those members who may be willing to take parts will send in their names to the Honorary Secretary before Saturday next.

WALFORD HARRIES,
no2 Hon. Secretary.

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

OCCIDENTAL

BILLIARD SALOON,

SECOND STORY, BRICK BLOCK,

Cor. of Government and Fort Streets,

VICTORIA.

E. CHIELOVICH, Proprietor.

THIS SALOON HAS BEEN FITTED up by the Proprietor for the accommodation of the Public, in a style that is not surpassed in San Francisco. No expense has been spared to render it the finest

BILLIARD SALOON

—IN THIS CITY.—

It contains six of Phelan's best Billiard Tables.

At the Bar will be found the choicest Wines and Liquors.

The Saloon is tastefully decorated with costly pictures, is beautifully carpeted and furnished for the accommodation of the Public; and is well ventilated, and lighted with Gas.

PUBLIC ENTRANCE ON GOVERNMENT STREET.

no1 tf

Oriental Hotel,

IN YATES STREET,

Corner of Oriental Alley.

Neatly Fitted up for Travellers

SUITES AND SINGLE ROOMS,

The Bedrooms are furnished with Spring Mattrasses.

THE BEST OF LIQUORS

To be had at the Bar, and

EXCELLENT BILLIARD TABLES!

In the Saloon Unfurnished room may be had, if required.

P. MANETTA,
oc10 1m Proprietor.

The Metropolitan

LODGING HOUSE,

YATES STREET,

HAS JUST BEEN NEWLY FURnished in a First-Class style, with Spring Mattrasses, etc., etc.

LODGINGS PER WEEK - - From $1 to $2 & $3
do do NIGHT - - - 25 to 50 cts. & $1

The Proprietor, wishing to retire, will either sell or Lease the whole Business, and offers

FOR SALE

Besides the above,

50 Bedsteads, Spring, Pulu and Straw Mattrasses, Double and Single;

Bed-sheets, Coverlets, Crockery,

And all the complete FURNITURE for Bedrooms.

Enquire of MRS IMMEL LUSCH,
At the Metropolitan Lodging House.

oc21 1m

ST. NICHOLAS

HOTEL!

GOVERNMENT ST.,

VICTORIA, V. I.

N. C. MATTHIESSEN,
P. MATTHIESSEN,
H. VALENTINER, } PROPRIETORS.

THIS CAPACIOUS AND ELEGANT Hotel is now open for the accommodation of the public. It is fitted up with all the conveniences of a FIRST-CLASS HOUSE, the rooms being well lighted, warmed and ventilated, and tastefully furnished There is a large

Public Restaurant!

Connected with the Hotel, and a Ladies' Ordinary. It also contains Private Parlors, Suites of Rooms for parties etc.

THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT

Is under the management of a first-class cook, and the Bakery is provided with one of the celebrated HAMBURG OVENS, which turns out Bread unsurpassed by any in the world Families supplied with Bread at the counter of the Restaurant. oc13-1m

STEWART & CO.

HAVE ON HAND, FOR SALE,

GLOVES—Kid, Lisle, and Union, a general Assortment;
HOSIERY—Mens', Womens' and Childrens', a general assortment;
FANCY TRIMMINGS and BUTTONS—A general assortment;
VELVET RIBBONS—A general assortment;
MANTLES, OPERA CLOAKS, HOUSE JACKETS, and BLACK LACE SHAWLS;
FANCY JEWELRY, WATCHES, &c—A large assortment;
COMBS and BRUSHES—For toilet purposes, a large assortment;
BEADS—A small selection;
PIPES—Meerschaum, Briar, and Fancy, and
PORT MONNAIES, LADIES' RETICULES, BAGS, etc—A large assortment;
PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS AND CARTES DE VISITE—Of every variety;
ENGLISH CROCKERY WARE—A good selection, and
BLASTING and SPORTING POWDER, A supply of first class.

Langley street, Victoria, 28th October, 1863.

oc28 1m

FOR SALE,

EX RECENT ARRIVALS

BY THE UNDERSIGNED,

Brandy, Port Wine, and Campbelton Whisky, in casks;
Brandy, Port Wine, and Jno. Gillion & Co.'s Scotch Whisky, in cases, 1 doz. each;
Ginger Cordial, Jno. Gillion & Co.'s, in cases, 1 doz. each;
Malt and White Wine Vinegar, in cases, 2 doz. each;
Preserved Meats, Game, Fish, Soup, Fowl, etc., in Tins, 1 lb. each;
Jams and Jellies, in Tins, 1 lb. each;
New Malaga Raisins, in whole, half, and qr. Boxes;
Arrowroot, White Lead, Black and Green Paint;
Wrapping and Printing Paper;
English Boots and Shoes;
Indian Guns, in cases of 10 each;
Superior Merchant Navy Canvas, power-loom;
Cotton Duck;

Etc.....Etc.....Etc.

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,

WHARF STREET.

October 27th, 1863. oc27 1m

E. C. Waddington,

LAND AGENT

AND STOCK BROKER

Government st. next St Nicholas Hotel

E. C. WADDINGTON HAVING RESided in Victoria for over four years and during that period watched attentively the nature of Real Estate, is in a position of offering valuable assistance to persons wishing to buy, sell, or lease property, negotiate Mortgages, Transfer Mining and other Stock.

Plans of Victoria and every District in the Colony; also a list of Lots for sale, etc, can be seen at the above off oc20 tf

J. C. BROWN,

DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL

And Notary Public.

oc18-1m PORT ANGELOS, W. T.

NOTICES.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, under the style and firm of PASMORE & WAKEMAN, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

E. I. PASMORE,
WALTER A. J. WAKEMAN.

WITNESS—HENRY WALTON.

P. S.—Mr E. I. Pasmore will collect and pay all debts against the firm. E. I. P.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, carrying on business in South Saanich, V. I., as Innkeepers and general dealers in goods, under the style and firm of LIND & WOLF, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Peter Lind is hereby authorized to collect all the debts of the firm, and to settle all claims against the same.

Dated South Saanich, V. I., the 26th day of October, 1863.

LOUIS WOLF,
PETER LIND,

Witnesses.
L. BLUM,
HENRY GRUNBAUM. oc28 1m

NOTICE.

JAMES NEW, LATE OF CEDAR HILL, is requested to call directly for a letter at the office of Mr. A. F. Main, Land agent, Government street, opposite Broughton street. oc28

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership lately existing between Jacob Hunter Todd and John Herbert Turner, both of the city of Victoria, V. I., under the firm of TODD, TURNER & Co., expired by limitation on the 8th day of October, instant.

All debts owing the said partnership are to be received by J. H. Todd, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment, who still continues the Produce business.

JACOB HUNTER TODD.
J. H. TURNER.

Witness,
W. L. MITCHELL.

All accounts not settled by 10th November next will be placed in lawyer's hands for collection.

Victoria, V. I., October 22d, 1863. oc27 1w

Esquimalt Road Commission.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS OWNING LAND IN the Esquimalt District, liable under the "Road Act, 1860," to perform statute labor in said District, are hereby notified that the Lists being posted, they are now called upon to perform said labor, commencing on MONDAY, the 9th November next, at such time and place as the overseer may direct.

By order of the Chairman,

THOS. RUSSELL,
Assessor.

23d October, 1863. oc25 1w

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned carrying on business in Victoria, Vancouver Island, as Commission and General Merchants, under the style and title of Stewart Meldrum & Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

John Robertson Stewart is hereby authorized to collect all the debts and realize all the assets of the firm and to settle all claims against the same.

Dated at Victoria, V. I., the twenty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

(Signed) JOHN ROBERTSON STEWART.
WILLIAM ROY MELDRUM.

WITNESS,
(Signed) ALFRED THOMAS ELLIOTT.
H. D. MOORE. oc22 tf

Notice!

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE CONTINUED ill health of my husband, I have this day appointed Mr. C. M. MAYER, of Government street, my agent to collect Notes and Accounts, and all outstanding debts due to me.

MRS HEIN,
Government street

October 24th, 1863. oc25

NOTICE.

DR. CHAMPLAIN, SUPPOSED TO be in Victoria, is requested to call at the office of this paper where a letter awaits him oc22

NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM VANcouver Island, Mr F. Weissenburger holds my power of attorney for all business matters. All persons having any claims against me are requested to send in the same for settlement before the 1st of November next.

L'D LOWENBERG.

oc8

COAL. WOOD.

LUMBER! BRICKS!

THE VICTORIA

Coal and Lumber Co.

FOOT OF YATES STREET,

OFFER FOR SALE

NANAIMO COAL

OF THE BEST QUALITY,

CANNEL COAL,

HAND PICKED!

BLACKSMITH COAL,

Delivered to any part of the City free of drayage and porterage.

—ALSO—

OAK WOOD; PINE Do.

Of any required length, free of drayage.

The use of our Circular Saw and new power enables us from this date, to reduce the price of short wood

Twenty per Cent.

JOHN T. LITTLE,

City Wharf,

30th September, 1863. no2

The Bankruptcy Act, A. D. 1863.

WHEREAS, A PETITION FOR ADjudication of Bankruptcy bearing date the 30th day of October, A. D. 1863, had been duly filed against JOHN B. WREN, of Store street, in the City of Victoria, V. I., Indian trader, and he having been declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cameron, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of November next, at the hour of 12 Noon, at the Court House, James' Bay, Victoria, and make full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and to chose creditor's assignee. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to William Culverwell, of Yates street, Victoria the official Assignee, and give notice to Mr. William Saunders and Sebright Green, of Government street, Victoria, Solicitors oc31 1d

ANDREW ROBERTSON,

TAILOR,

FORT STREET,

(BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND BROAD STS.

WHILE RETURNING THANKS to his numerous customers for the patronage already received, begs leave to inform them and the general public that a large consignment has just come to hand of FRENCH CLOTHS, TWEEDS, and DOESKINS; WEST OF ENGLAND BROADCLOTHS and TWEEDS; also, a large assortment of Scotch Tweeds—all of the best material and most Fashionable Patterns.

A. R. receives regularly the NEWEST ENGLISH and AMERICAN FASHIONS, and warrants a FIRST CLASS FIT on most moderate terms. no1 1m

Queen Insurance Company,

Capital, £1,000,000, Sterling.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN appointed Agents for the above Company, and are now prepared to issue Policies.

oc20 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.

LOWE BROTHERS,

Commission Merchants,

VICTORIA, V. I.

Office corner Yates and Langley streets

no3 tf

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

H. LEWIS,

Corner of Government and Broughton streets,

no3 tf Victoria.

WANTS.

Apartments Wanted.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, for a small family. Address, stating terms and location.

"Apartments," COLONIST OFFICE

no3

Wanted---A Partner.

IN A BUSINESS ALREADY ESTABlished. To a young man of active business habits, possessing a capital of from $1500 to $2000, this offers a rare inducement. For particulars, apply to

W. CULVERWELL,
no3 1w Yates street.

Wanted.

A SERVANT WOMAN, WHO UNDERstands cooking.

Apply at this office. oc15 tf

Wanted.

A MAN AND WIFE TO TAKE CHARGE of the Cook House at Utsalady Mills, and board the Millmen by the week. The house and fixtures are complete. Provisions will be furnished by the proprietors at a stated price. None but steady and competent persons need apply.

Particulars made known on application to

GRENNAN & CRANEY.

Utsalady, 10th October, 1863. oc12 1m

New and Valuable Goods!

A. J. BRUNN,

Has Just Returned from San Francisco

WITH

A WELL SELECTED STOCK OF FINE AND HEAVY

Custom-Made Clothing

GENTLEMEN'S

FURNISHING GOODS,

Cloaks and Inverness Capes, for Men and Boys.

And Alexandre's Kid Gloves,

(ALL SIZES)

French and English

CLOTHS, CASSIMERS, VESTINGS, AND

TAILOR'S TRIMMINGS,

Royal Naval Uniform Gold Lace,

UNIFORM CAPS AND COVERS,

BANDS AND BADGES,

200 doz. hand-knit Lambswool hf Hose,

Solid Leather Valises, Portmanteaus and Ladies' Traveling Trunks,

NEEDLES AND TWIST,

For Singer's and Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machines.

Fine Pearl Shirt Studs.

CALL AT

BRUNN'S STORE,

NEXT TO BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA,

Government Street.

oc12

FOR SALE,

MAHOGANY PLANK—ST. DOMINGO—from 1¾ to 4 inches thick. 1850 feet

VERY DESIRABLE LOT.

MAHOGANY BOARDS—Bay Wood and Domingo—1 inch

BEST CURLED HAIR—2500 LBS.
SHORT DO—2500 do
SPANISH MOSS, 3000 do
FEATHERS—Best live Geese 300 do
DO Ordinary, 750 do
MIRRORS—Gilt, Mahogany and Rosewood—all Sizes, Oval and Square Shapes.
SHOW CASES—On hand, and made to order.
SPRING MATTRASSES—Made to order
PULU—By the Bale.

—ALSO—

A General Assortment of

Furniture AND Bedding,

Wholesale and Retail,

No charge for delivering goods in the city.

PIERCE & SEYMOUR,

BROAD STREET,

oc13 1m Victoria, V. I.

McNicol Bros.,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM LONDON direct,

Ex "Sierra Nevada."

A Choice and Select Assortment of

Cloaks and Mantles,

Being the Latest Fashion for this Winter.

These Goods are entirely new to this Market.

—ALSO—

A BEAUTIFUL LOT OF

Balmoral Skirts,

—AND—

HEAD DRESSES

oc23 1m

WINDOW GLASS.

Curtis & Moore,

HAVE RECEIVED,

Ex "Dusty Miller," from Liverpool,

Six Hundred Boxes WINDOW GLASS, single and double thick, large sizes, suitable for Show Windows, Pictures, etc.

Forty Boxes OBSCURED, FLUTED, ENAMELED and COLORED GLASS.

SILVERED PLATE GLASS, in sheets of various sizes.

The above will be sold at Reduced Prices, and cut to any size required.

CURTIS & MOORE, Druggists,

• 26 Yates street.

COAL OIL LAMPS.

Curtis & Moore,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

Direct from the Manufacturer in New York

THE LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED STOCK of LAMPS ever imported into this market, consisting of—

Coal Oil Chandeliers,
Bracket, Stand and Swinging Lamps,
Chimneys, Wicking, &c,

FOR SALE at very LOW PRICES, either wholesale or retail,

CURTIS & MOORE,

Wholesale and Retail Druggists,

Yates street,

oc26 Victoria.

MR. LANDALE,

Civil and Mining Engineer,

HAVING RETURNED FROM THE North, is prepared to give advice on all matters connected with mines and minerals, to prospect land for all the baser metals, and undertake the supervision of engineering works generally

Mr L. has one or two months in the ensuing year still open, and will remain in Victoria for ten days longer.

Colonial Hotel, Government street, 27th October, 1863. oc28 2w*

New Bricks!

FOR SALE.

Apply to

J. MASON, at the Brick Yard,

or G. MASON, at the Identical,

WHARF & YATES STREETS

oc18 tf

JOHN J. COCHRANE,

LAND AGENT,

GOVERNMENT STREET, NEXT COLONIST OFFICE

Town Lots and Farming Land bought sold and leased. oc21 1m

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Friday Morning, November 6, 1863.

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

JOB PRINTING.

☞ Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the work.

A SUPPLEMENT

Is published with this issue owing to a press of matter in our advertising columns.

It is somewhat surprising that a body of men of such liberal principles as the licensed victuallers are generally supposed to be should be setting up the standard of protection in this city, and we think that the position taken by their counsel, Mr. Bishop, in opposing the applications for new licenses at yesterday's licensing court, is logically untenable; when there is sufficient accomodation provided for the public, the evils in the present system of licensing must, so far as the number of houses are concerned, *ex ipso facto* cease to exist. It is not likely that persons will seek to open houses in a neighborhood already overstocked, if they do, it is at their own risk and we can hardly think that opposition on behalf [of those at present carrying on houses politic. Mr. Bishop says that "it is very hard upon licensed victuallers who have stood the brunt of the dull summer, that just as the busy season is commencing, some one should step in and take away all their custom." Now if this argument is good, protection in its worst form may be supported in a similar manner. It strikes at the very root of free trade, so far as the licensed victualling business is concerned. If the custom of the old houses is likely to be taken away by the establishment of new houses, then there must be something radically wrong about these now existing, or some very great attractions at the new establishments; if the latter is the case, all who seek the prosperity of the town are bound to encourage and promote, by every means, anything which shall attract miners amongst us, so long as it is not immoral or vicious in its tendency. If on the other hand, the existing houses are not capable of affording the accommodation required, it is high time that other men with more energy and power to cater for the public should be allowed a chance. We have no desire to see the city overstocked with public houses, but we like to see every one having fair play, and it is by no means desirable that the Licensed Victuallers Association should be allowed to create anything like a monopoly; as a body they may doubtless be capable of effecting much good, but let them by all means act with liberality towards outsiders.

It seems from the report of the proceedings of the licensing court, that the rule requiring a certain number of beds to be provided to each house is still in operation; this was doubtless a very good arrangement in 1858, but might well be dispensed with now.

We are glad to notice that a commencement has at length been made towards the establishment of a Museum and Library in this city. We have always advocated this step as one essential to the proper development of the resources of the colony, and it is high time now that the matter was started. It will, of course, be some years before we can hope to have a large collection in our Museum, but there are many objects of interest that might be gathered together, which would form the nucleus of a good collection. The vast variety of minerals found in this Island are in themselves a great field for exploration and examination, and it is only by comparison and collection that we can form a fair idea of the importance of these resources of wealth to the colony. Hitherto gold has been so almost exclusively the object of search, that other valuable metals have been to a certain extent passed over and neglected. But the existence of a society formed for the purpose, amongst other things, of developing the resources of the country, will in a great measure facilitate the thorough prospecting (if we may use a mining term generally) of the whole country. Add to this the botanical productions of the Island are of considerable interest; a greater variety of wild fruit trees and shrubs of different kinds are to be found in the woods of Vancouver Island than most people who have not made botanical researches on the Island are aware of, many grasses also exist, and a museum will in all probability lead to the classification and collection of these varieties, and will assist agriculturalists in their choice of proper seeds, by showing to some extent what class of grasses are suited to the different soils of the Island, There are many other objects which may be usefully taken up by the directors or proprietors of a Museum, more especially when formed, as we learn our Victoria Museum is likely to be, as a limited liability company. If sufficient capital can be raised, which from the opening of the list we do not for one moment doubt, the addition of a garden to the building to be used for the Museum, would be desirable in many ways, more particularly for the acclimatisation of foreign fruit trees and vegetables, which might in all probability be cultivated with advantage in this Island. We throw this suggestion out to the gentlemen now engaged in getting up the Museum, feeling sure that they will be able to improve upon the hint.

The able appeal of our morning contemporary, on behalf of William Dietz, will find its way to the heart, and we doubt not the purse of every Cariboite. We are not aware whether any steps have been taken to relieve the necessities of this Pioneer Cariboo miner, but we are quite sure that it will only be necessary to set on foot a subscription list, and the discoverer of Williams Creek being in want will cease to be a fact. Our contemporary has given so full a sketch of the history of "Dutch Bill," so far as he has been connected with these colonies, that we feel it unnecessary to add more than to echo the hope that our mining and commercial population will not allow William Dietz to want.

Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Columbia.

WHEREAS THE COURT AUTHORised to act in the prosecution of a petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed on the third day of August, 1863, against EDGAR DEWDNEY, Auctioneer, Dealer, and Chapman, has on the application of the said Bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such petition to be held before His Honor Matthew Baillie Begbie, Esquire, Judge of the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Columbia, on the 31st day of November, 1863, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, precisely, at the Court House, New Westminster, for the allowance of the certificate of the said Bankrupt in conformity to the laws now in force concerning Bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the statute passed in the Parliament holden in the 12th and 13th years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849." This is to give notice that such Court will sit at the time and place above mentioned for the purpose aforesaid, when and where any of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt may be heard against the allowance of such certificate, and that same will be allowed unless cause then and there be shown to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require

Oct. 31st, 1863. no6*

MR. JAMES SHERIDAN,

PIANOFORTE TUNER.

ORDERS FOR TUNING AND Repairing Instruments left at Gentile's New Music Store and Photographic Gallery, corner of Fort and Government streets, Victoria, will be regularly attended to no6 1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO THE ELECTORS

—OF—

James Bay Ward.

GENTLEMEN:—At the urgent request of numerous friends I have been induced to come before you (at a late hour), to solicit your suffrages as a candidate for Councillor for James' Bay Ward.

Should you do me the honor to return me, I shall discharge the duties of the office without fear, favor, or affection, and I trust, in such a manner as will meet with your warm approval.

I have the honor to be,
Your obedient servant,
JAMES GRAHAMSLAW.

Victoria, V. I., November 5th, 1863 no6

VICTORIA THEATRE.

THOS. WARD.....Lessee
A. R. PHELPS.....Stage Manager.
C. G. ST. CLAIR.....Leader of Orchestra
RALPH PHELPS.....Acting Manager.

Re-Engagement of Mrs. W. H. Leighton

THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING,

The performance will commence with the Domestic Drama, entitled

All that Glitters is not Gold.

Martha Gibbs.....Mrs W H Leighton
Stephen Plum.....Mr. A. R. Phelps
SONG.....Mrs N Leslie

To be followed by the Farce entitled

A Kiss in the Dark.

Selim Pettibone.....Mr A R Phelps

To conclude with the popular Farce of

The Fool of the Family.

Betty Saunders (with Songs) Mrs W H Leighton

In compliance of several requests from those who are unable to attend the Theatre in the evening, the management have been induced to give

A GRAND PERFORMANCE,

SATURDAY AFTERNOON,

Of the great Moral Drama of

Uncle Tom's Cabin,

Commencing at 2 o'clock, for the express accommodation of

FAMILIES AND CHILDREN.

ADMISSION—Dress Circle and Orchestra Seats, $1 Pit, 50 cents; Private Boxes, $8 and $10.
Box Office open from 11 a. m. till 2 p. m.
Doors open at 7 o'clock; Curtain rises at half past 7 o'clock.

NORTH & CO.,

Druggists & Chemists

4, ORIENTAL ALLEY,

VICTORIA, V. I.,

Have constantly on hand a supply of the purest

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

—AND—

Patent Medicines,

PERFUMERY, &c.

—ALSO—

Coal Oil and Coal Oil Lamps.

Our Compound Syrup of

Sarsaparilla and Iodide of Potassia

Is the best of the kind.

—ALSO—

OUR SPECIFIC MIXTURE

Is pronounced to be the best article of the kind in use. no6

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP EXISTING between Morris Prager & Jacob Davis under the name and style of PRAGER & DAVIS, at Port Douglas and Lillooet, B. C, expires to-day by limitation.

They have appointed Mr. S. Reinhart, of Victoria, V. I., their lawful agent to wind up their business.

All accounts against the firm of Prager & Davis have to be handed in for settlement to S. Reinhart, Victoria, V. I., on or before the first of January, 1864, and all notes, accounts, etc., due to Prager & Davis have to be paid to S. Reinhart, Victoria, V. I., or to his duly appointed agents.

(Signed) MORRIS PRAGER,
JACOB DAVIS,

Witness,
S. FLASSER,

Victoria, November 4th, 1863. no6 1m
Columbian copy.

Sooke Copper Mining Company.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Shareholders in the above Company will be held on MONDAY next, the 9th instant, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the office of J. P Couch, Esq., Commercial Row.

By order of the President.
A. F. MAIN,
Secretary.

no6 tf

To Lease.

THE HOUSE AND GARDEN IN THE VICINITY OF St. John's Church, lately occupied by the family of Mr. Thomas G. Williams, Registrar.

For further particulars, apply to
ALEX. D. MACDONALD,
no61m Yates street.

NOTICE.

UNLESS THE GENTLEMAN WHO took away a pair of boots from the second door on Yates street, below the corner of Broad street, returns the same to the owner he will be proceeded against.

Victoria, V. I., Nov. 5th, 1863. no6 1w*

NOTICE.

WITH REFERENCE TO AN ADVERtisement which appeared in the daily papers of the 4th and 5th instant, signed by ALEX. MUNRO, Agent for the proprietors of lands, commonly known as the Puget Sound Agricultural Company's Land in Esquimalt District.

We, the undersigned, hereby give notice to all whom it may concern, that we shall defend our title to the property which we claim by pre-emption by all legal means, and we shall hold all persons responsible who may damage the buildings or fences on the ground, or molest the persons of the undersigned pre-emptors of the Crown-Lands in question.

ALEXANDER D. BELL,
ALBERT FREDERICK HICKS,
GEORGE FREDERIC PARSONS,
THOMAS JAMES WEEKS.
And others.

no6

FOR SALE.

Will Be Sold Cheap,

If early application is made.

LOT NO. 25—On Rock Bay, fronting on the water, 60 by 120 feet, together with the buildings thereon, recently in use as a SOAP FACTORY, being provided with Vats, Furnace, &c., and having a good Well of Water on the premises.

The above offers an excellent opportunity for any one desirous of carrying on the business of SOAP MANUFACTURER, BREWER, or DISTILLER, &c.

A portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage.

For further particulars apply to
A. F. MAIN,
Land Agent,
Government street, opposite Broughton.

October 6th, 1863. no6

GOLDSTONE & BROTHER,

(LATE SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE,)

COMMISSION MERCHANT

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS.

Dry Goods, Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,

no6-1m Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

TERMS MODERATE.

PERSONS DESIROUS OF PROCURing comfortable furnished Rooms, can be accommodated by applying at "THE CLUB" (brick building), corner Fort and Douglas streets.

oct7 1m2p

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

TO-MORROW

Saturday, Nov. 7th,

DANIEL SCOTT

WILL SELL

ON SATURDAY, 7TH INSTANT,

AT HIS SALESROOM,

FORT STREET, NEAR WHARF,

At 11 a. m., precisely,

3 cases English Cheese;
2 " Dunlop " (Scotch);
5 firkins Butter (Cooking);
15 boxes Starch;
5 bags Hams;
5 " Bacon;
20 boxes Candles;
20 bbls Extra Family Flour;

—ALSO—

1 hogshead Scotch Whisky;
1 " Martell's Brandy;

—ALSO—

Two Large Mirrors,

—ALSO—

10 pieces Norton Tweeds;
20 doz Crimean Shirts;
1 case Ladies' Cloth Boots;
" Scotch "
1 " Ladies' Winter Mantles;
" Shawls;

—ALSO—

HARDWARE,

2 cases Natural Leaf Tobacco;

Etc..... Etc.....Etc.

no6

DIGBY PALMER,

PROFESSOR OF MUSIC,

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS Removed to Rae street, next house to the Ladies' College, opposite Christ Church. Where he continues to give Lessons on the

PIANO, SINGING, &C.

Victoria, Nov. 4th, 1863. no5 1m
Express and Chronicle copy.

TENDERS

ARE REQUESTED FOR THE MANufacture of

One Hundred Thousand Oak Staves;

Suitable for making 10-gallon Kegs.

The Staves are to be deliverable in quantities of not less than Five Thousand at a time, in Victoria or at any point accessible to a boat within 50 miles of the town.

For particulars, apply at the wharf office of the Hudson's Bay Company. no5 tf

NOTICE.

ALEXANDER GRAHAM HAS MADE an assignment to Edward Willson and Peter McQuade for the benefit of his Creditors. All persons having claims against him are requested to bring in the same within one month, otherwise they will be disallowed.

Dated this 4th day of November, A. D. 1863.

G. E. DENNES, Solicitor.
Government street.

no5 1w*

In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice, V. I.;

IN BANKRUPTCY;

Wednesday the fourth day of November, A. D. 1863.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR ADJUdication of Bankruptcy bearing date the fourth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three hath been duly filed by NATHAN G. LEVY, of Victoria, Vancouver Island, Trader, and he having been declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cameron, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Civil Justice on WEDNESDAY the Eighteenth day of November next, at 12 o'clock at noon, precisely, at the Court House, James' Bay, Victoria, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts and choose assignees and commence the examination of the Bankrupt. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupt or that have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same to any person but to WILLIAM CULVERWELL of Yates street, the Official Assignee, whom the Chief Justice has appointed, and give notice to ROBERT BISHOP of Government street, Victoria, Solicitor.

no5 tf ROBERT BISHOP.

$3,000 to $5 000.

Partner Wanted.

AN INTEREST IN A LONG ESTABlished and very profitable business can be obtained by a party having the above amount to invest, either for six months or a longer period.

Address W. T., Colonist office. no5 1w2p*

Mr. William Oakley,

Architect and Surveyor,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

VICTORIA, V. I.

no5 1m

Skidegate Bay Copper Mining Co., (Limited.)

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held on TUESDAY, the 10th inst., at 8 o'clock, P. M., at the office of Mr. E. C. Waddington, Government street, for the purpose of electing Directors of the Company.

N. J. NEUSTADT,
Secretary.

N B Shareholders intending to vote by proxy, must deposit their proxies with the Secretary 48 hours before the time appointed for the meeting.

Victoria, V. I., Nov. 3d, 1863. no4 1w

Gold Harbor Quartz Mining Company.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company, held at the office of Messrs. Franklin on Government street, on Friday, the 23d ultimo, the following Resolution was carried unanimously:

That the Directors be empowered to make a call of Twenty Dollars on each Share, payable forthwith.

Those Shareholders who have not yet paid the above assessment are requested to call and do so without delay.

By order of the Directors
GEORGE BARNETT,
Secretary.

Nov. 3, 1863. no4 1w

B. C. & V. S. N. Company, Limited.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders of this Company is hereby called, to assemble at the Company's Office on Langley street, Victoria, V. I., on THURSDAY, the Third day of DECEMBER next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the accounts and statements of the liquidator appointed to wind up the Company's business and dispose of the stock, and also for the purpose of adopting a final resolution relating to said accounts and statements, and formally winding up and dissolving the Company according to law.

J. WADDELL,
Liquidator.

B C. & V. S N. Company (Limited).
Victoria, V I., Monday, 2d Nov 1863. no4 1d
Express and Columbian please copy.

J. A. McCREA,

AGENT FOR THE

National Mills Flour.

NOW ON HAND

100 bbls. Baker's Extra in Hf-Sacks,
300 " Superfine, in Qr-Sacks.

oc24 1m2p

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

P. M. BACKUS

WILL SELL

TO-MORROW,

SATURDAY, Nov. 7,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

THE FURNITURE

—IN—

MR. H. DONCASTER'S HOUSE,

Fort Street, on the Hill,

CONSISTING OF

Bed Room,
Parlor and
Kitchen Furniture,
China and Glassware,
Table Furniture,

ETC., ETC., ETC.,

ONE FULL SIZE

Rosewood cottage Piano,

(By Collard & Collard.)

TERMS, CASH.

no5

HICKMAN, TYE & CO,

Next the Theatre, Government street,

Have on hand, ex "Dusty Miller" and "Excelsior,"

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BAR Iron, "Gilpin's" best Double Horse Shoe "Brand."

BEST B.B.H. BAR IRON;
SHEET IRON;
STEEL.—Octagon Cast, Tee Corks, Spring and Shear;
TIN—In Ingots and Bars;
SHEET ZINC;
WIRE;
SPRINGS, BOLTS & NUTS, etc., etc.

And a large assortment of Carpenters' Tools and General Hardware.

EARTHENWARE AND GLASSWARE;

Also, to arrive per "Sea Snake" and "Lockett," a large assortment of Bar Iron, Sheet Iron, Tin Plates, Sheet Zinc, Bar Tin, etc., etc. no3 1m

SALE OF

STEAMERS

THE FLOATING STOCK OF THE British Columbia and Victoria Navigation Company (Limited), consisting of the well known steamers

"GOVERNOR DOUGLAS,"
"COL. MOODY," and
"UNION,"

—TOGETHER WITH—

A 60 TON BARGE,

—AND THE—

OFFICE FURNITURE

Will, (if not previously disposed of by private bargain) be exposed for sale at

Public Auction,

Upon Messrs. DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.'S New Wharf, Store street, on

Monday, the 16th day of November, current,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

In the meantime, the whole of this property is open to public inspection; the Vessels at Dickson Campbell & Co.'s Wharf, where they lie, and the Furniture in the office, Langley street.

Terms and conditions will be made known on the day of Sale.

J. WADDELL,
Liquidator.

B. C. & V. S. N. Company (Limited)
Victoria, V. I., 24 November, 1863. no4 td
Express and British Columbian publish till day of sale.

British Columbia Royal Mail Company (Limited.)

IN LIQUIDATION.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER BEARing date the 3rd day of November, 1863, issued out of and under the seal of the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Columbia, it was ordered amongst other things that WILLIAM CULVERWELL be and was appointed Official Liquidator of the said Company for the purpose of winding up the same with all necessary powers and directions including the authority specified in the 89th and 90th clauses of the 19th and 20th Vic. c 47.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIM against the above Company (limited), are requested to send in the same within 30 days from the date hereof, either to the office of the Company, Douglas, B. C., or the office of the undersigned.

Dated Victoria, this 4th November, 1863.

W. CULVERWELL,
Official Liquidator.

British Columbia Royal Mail Co. (Limited).
Yates street, Victoria. no5 1m

Eureka Copper Mining Company.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all Shares in the above Company on which the 2d or 3d Instalments of twenty-five dollars each, remain unpaid ten days after the insertion of this advertisement, will be sold at auction for the benefit of the Company, according to a resolution passed at a general meeting held on the 29th ultimo, which resolution has been made a By-Law of the Company.

GEORGE BARNETT,
Secretary.

November 2d, 1863. no3 tf

NOTICE.

Eureka Copper Mining Company

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a general meeting of the Shareholders in the "Eureka" Company held on the 2d instant, an assessment of five dollars a Share was made on the stock of the Company, payable forthwith.

GEO BARNETT,
Secretary.

no3 tf

For Sale,

McCULLUM'S GULCH.

ONE FULL SHARE IN A GOOD PAYing Claim on McCullum's Gulch, Williams Creek. Title guaranteed.

For further particulars apply to
GEORGE BARNETT,
Stock Broker,
no3 2w Government street.

Byass' Porter,

THREE DOZEN CASES,

The shipments Ex "Excelsior," "Jasper" "Napoleon III," and succeeding vessels, will enable us to keep this well-known Porter always in Stock.

Orders, for not less than 5 cases, are solicited.

oc21 ANDERSON & CO.

$10 Reward!

LOST, ABOUT 3 O'CLOCK, P. M., ON Saturday, October 24th, A FUR VICTORINE, somewhere between the residence of Mr. Harris, Broad street, and the Bull's Head, Yates street, for the recovery of which the above reward will be paid. Apply at Colonist Office. oc26 1w

ELECTION NOTICES.

TO THE ELECTORS

—OF—

Yates Street Ward.

GENTLEMEN,—At the urgent request of many electors, I am induced to offer myself as your representative in the Municipal Council for the ensuing year.

My views on nearly all local questions are pretty generally known to you.

If my conduct during the past year has been such as to merit your confidence and votes, I shall at an early day be prepared to introduce such a scheme as will materially reduce the cost of collecting the civic revenue.

I shall also advocate such a reduction in the City Taxes as will be consistent with the means of the public, and the necessary wants of a prosperous and rapidly increasing city.

If you do me the honor to return me as Councillor, I shall give my best attention to the interests of YATES STREET WARD and the city generally.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most obd't. serv't.,
W. E. STRONACH.

no4 tf

To the Municipal Electors

OF THE

JAMES' BAY WARD.

GENTLEMEN—I OFFER MYself as a Candidate for the Office of Councillor for your Ward, and respectfully solicit your support. I have been identified with the Colony, and more particularly with Victoria, for a number of years, and should you do me the honor to return me to the Council, I will do all in my power to make taxation as light and equal as possible, to further the improvement and prosperity of the town, and to promote your interests and protect your rights.

Your obedient servant,
W. J. McDONALD.

Victoria, V. I., Oct. 31. no2

TO THE ELECTORS OF

Johnson Street Ward.

GENTLEMEN:—AT THE SOlicitation of a number of the Electors of your Ward, I shall be a candidate for your suffrages at the coming Election. Should you do me the honor to return me as one of your Representatives at the Municipal Board, I shall use my best endeavors to promote the interests of the Ward, and the general welfare of the City.

I remain, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
ROBERT WALLACE.

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To the Electors

OF THE

CITY OF VICTORIA.

GENTLEMEN:—Having been invited by many friends to again offer myself as a Candidate for your suffrages at the coming Election, for the

YATES STREET WARD,

I feel gratified at the expression of confidence which has been evinced, and the trust reposed in me, and have great pleasure in offering myself as a Candidate for re-election. I will use my best endeavors, if elected, to promote, as heretofore, the best interests of the City,

RICHARD LEWIS.

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To the Municipal Electors

OF THE

Johnson Street Ward

GENTLEMEN:—I offer myself as a candidate for the office of Councillor for your Ward and respectfully solicit your support. Being a resident in the Ward my interests are identical with your own, and should you do me the honor to return me to the Council I will use my best endeavors to equalize taxation and obtain for the Ward the improvements required, not losing sight of the property which ought to belong to the city, and the improvement of the town generally.

Your obedient servant,
ROBERT EWING.

Monday, Nov. 2d, 1863. no3 tf
Express copy.

To the Municipal Electors

OF THE

James' Bay Ward.

GENTLEMEN,—Having been called upon by several influential gentlemen in this city to offer myself as candidate for Councillor in your Ward, I hereby respectfully solicit your support at the ensuing election. Having had upwards of twenty years' experience in the conduct of parochial business in one of the largest towns in the mother country, I trust that in the event of your returning me to represent you at the Municipal Board, I shall use such endeavors to promote the welfare of the community as will satisfy you, and not dishonor myself.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
JAMES FELL.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF

Johnson Street Ward

GENTLEMEN:—Honored by the request of many of my fellow citizens, I come forward to offer you my services as a member of your Council. Should you elect me to fill that honorable position, no exertions shall be spared to discharge the duties of the office uprightly and faithfully.

I remain, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
ALFRED THOMAS ELLIOTT.

Langley street, Nov. 2, 1863.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION.

TO-MORROW,

Saturday, Nov. 7th,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

J. A. McCREA

WILL SELL

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

50 chests Challenge Tea, 1-3 lbs. Papers;
30 bbls S. I. Sugar;
20 half bbls Oregon Dried Apples;
10 cases California Bacon;
30 kegs S. I. Syrup, 8 galls each;
10 cases New Cal. Cheese;
20 firkins Cooking Butter;
75 bbls Flour;
100 boxes English Soap;
10 bbls Corned Beef;
20 cases English Cheese;

All of which must be sold for Cash.

—ALSO—

Estate of Plaskett & Glide

In Bankruptcy,

By Order of the Official Assignee,

For the Benefit of the Creditors,

3 Horses;
2 Saddles with Bridles;
Lot of Head Stalls;
About one Ton of Hay;

—ALSO—

Three Horses

Monday, Nov. 9th,

At 11 o'clock, A. M,

SPECIAL SALE OF

BOOTS, SHOES

—AND—

BROGANS;

DRY GOODS,

Fancy Goods

Etc.,..... .....Etc.,.....Etc.

Particulars hereafter.

J. A. McCREA,
no4 Auctioneer.

If You Want

TO ENJOY COMFORT WITH ECONOMY, in the shape of

GOOD MEALS and GOOD BEDS,

GO TO THE

ANGLO-AMERICAN

Temperance Hotel,

Corner of Yates and Douglas streets.

E. C. HOLDEN,

Having made considerable additions to this House, is prepared to accommodate several more Boarders at the following

REDUCED RATES:

BOARD PER WEEK.....$6 00
BOARD and LODGING, ditto .....$6 00 to $8 00
do do do PER DAY.....$1 00

MINERS and others boarding here and providing their own blankets, are furnished with Cot and good Pulu Mattresses and Pillow, in clean, comfortable rooms, free of charge.

THE READING ROOM

IS WELL SUPPLIED WITH ENGLISH, CANAdian, Californian, and the Local Papers.

THE ANGLO-AMERICAN being conducted on strictly Temperance principles, its patrons can enjoy the comforts and quiet of home.

Good Accommodations for Families!

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NURSERY & SEED

Establishment,

5, FORT STREET, VICTORIA.

MESSRS. JAY & CO. BEG TO REmind their friends and the public generally that November and December are the best months for the successful planting of Fruit Trees and Shrubs, and that they have in stock fine, healthy and strong Plum, Cherry, Pear and Apple Trees. Also, Fruit, Bushes and Shrubs of every variety, samples of which can be seen at their Establishment, Fort street.

Early Orders are respectfully solicited.

Landscape and Ornamental Gardening

In all its branches.

Fruit Trees Pruned

On scientific principles, so as to ensure fine crops and symmetrical Trees.

An Unrivalled Stock

Of Island grown Agricultural, Vegetable, and

FLOWER SEEDS.

Finest Dessert Fruits

Always in stock. no3 1m

GOVERNMENT STREET

Hair-Dressing Saloon.

DYEING, CUTTING, and SHAMPOOING ROOMS.

Barber Shop opposite St. Nicholas Hotel,

J. B. A. RIVIERE,

BEGS RESPECTFULLY TO solicit the patronage of the Ladies, Gentlemen, and public generally of Victoria, as he has opened a SALOON with ample accommodation, for Ladies especially, where all who favor him will meet satisfaction.

☞ A Boot-Black is in the Barber Shop.

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W. Culverwell.

GENERAL AGENT

Yates Street,

(Opposite Hibben & Carswell's, Stationers' Hall.)

☞ Rents and Debts collected, Money Loaned, Notes Discounted, Money advanced on consignments of Live Stock, and a General Agency Business transacted. no3-1m.

To Loan,

$2000, $500, $700, $800. Apply to
W. CULVERWELL,
no3 1m Yates street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DRY GOODS!

THE UNDERSIGNED

HAVE ON HAND,

And are Daily Expecting,

INVOICES OF

LINEN GOODS—Damask Cloth, Napkins, Towels, Towelling, Grass Cloths, Diapers, Irish Linen, Cambric Handkerchiefs, Damask bleached and unbleached Burlaps, Bags, Canvas, etc.

FRENCH MERINOS—Coburgs, Orleans, Russel Cords, Alpacas, Winseys, etc.

FRENCH DE LAINES—A large Assortment of Newest Styles and of very Superior Quality—Plain colors and Fancy Printed.

WOOLLEN CLOTHS—Black Cloth, Plain and Fancy Pilot and Beaver Cloths, Cloakings and Coatings, (Assorted Quality) Scarlet Cloth.

LADIES' CLOAKINGS—The New Irish Frieze, Sealskin, Velvet, Diagonal, and other new materials for Ladies' Cloaks.

WHITE SHIRTING—Rolled Lining, Silesia, etc.

GREY DOMESTICS and **DRILLS.**

READY MADE CLOTHING—A very large Variety of Coats, Vests, Trousers, Tweed Suits, and a large assortment of Fancy Crimean Shirts, of various qualities, Baize and Serge Shirts.

WOOLLEN UNDERCLOTHING, HOSIERY, and **GLOVES**—The Largest Assortment ever offered in this Colony.

WOOLLEN SHAWLS—Long and Square, Great Variety.

SKIRTS—Balmoral, Repes, and other new varieties.

CARPETS—Brussells, Velvet, Tapestry, Kidderminster, and Printed Drugget.

HEARTH RUGS—To match.

FLOOR CLOTHS—Michael Nairn & Co.'s Scottish Floor Cloth—particularly noticed in the International Exhibition of 1862.

JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

BLANKETS—All Sizes and Colors,
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

WOOL SHAWLS—A Large Assortment.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

LADIES' FELT HATS—Trimmed and Untrimmed, a large variety.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

GALVANIZED IRON—For Roofing purposes.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

HARDWARE—A large Assortment of various Saws, Chisels, Gouges, Turn Screws, Plane Irons, Gimlets, Brad Awls, Files, etc. To arrive per "Dusty Miller."
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES

HOLLOW WARE—A Large Assortment on hand, and to arrive.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

IRON WATER TANKS,
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

CHEESE—Very Superior English Cheese—Gloucester, Cheshire, Wiltshire, and Cheddar.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES

YELLOW SOAP—Taylor & Tommis' Extra Quality, 28 lb. Boxes.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

GOLD WATCHES—Genuine Roskell's Gold Watches.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

SCOTCH OATMEAL—Genuine Scotch Oatmeal, in Tins. Just received, and
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

WINDOW GLASS—Chance's celebrated Window Glass—Sole agents of this celebrated manufacture.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

FIRE BRICKS—English Fire Bricks.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE—Lea & Perrin's.
For Sale at Agent's rates, by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

SYRUP—In 5 Gallon Kegs.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

CEMENT—Ex "Rising Sun," Fresh Cement, of Unrivalled Quality.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

SALT—Liverpool Salt in Bulk. A small lot will be sold, to arrive per "Dusty Miller, by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

CANDLES—Russia, Stearine and English Sperm.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

CROCKERY—A Large Assortment of Earthenware, in Crates and Hogsheads.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

GLASS WARE—Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Decanters, and Carafes. Assorted in voices.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

SADDLERY—Assorted Invoices English Saddlery, and Saddlers' Fittings.
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES

SHERRY—Sherry of Extra Quality, Ex "Fusi Yama"
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

BOTTLED BEER—Invoices of following Brands are offered for Sale by the undersigned:
YOUNGERS' India Pale Ale, in qts. and pints;
ALSOPS' do do do
Bottled by Friend;
TYRER'S do do do
In qts and pints;
JEFFRAY'S do do do
SALT'S Burton on Trent Ale do
MARZETTI'S Ale in qts and pints;
BYASS' do do do

VICTORIA STORES—Ale and Porter in qts. and pints.

BARCLAY & PERKINS' STOUT—Bottled by Tyrer, in qts. and pints.

BRIDGES' STOUT PORTER—In qts. and pints.

TRUEMAN, HANBURY & CO.'S STOUT, in qts
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

BULK BEER—Of the following celebrated Brewers:
London and Colonial Brewery, Burton on Trent, India Ale;
John Jeffray & Co.'s Edinburgh Scotch Ale;
Wm. Younger & Co.'s Scotch and India Pale Ale;
Marrian's Burton Weir Brewery XXX Ale;
Dawson's Celebrated Yorkshire Ale;
Taylor, Walker & Co.'s London Stout,
For Sale by
JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

Wines and Spirits.

The undersigned have on hand a Large Assortment of Wines and Spirits, consisting in part of

WHISKY—Scotch Campbelton, Islay, and Glenury;
Irish, Jamieson's, James Daly & Co.'s, and George Waters & Son's—In qr. casks, octaves, and cases;

RUM—Jamaica and Demerera—In hhds. qr. casks, and cases;

BRANDY—A. Seignette, Martell, and other brands, in hhds, qr casks, and cases;

HOLLANDS—De Kuyper & Co.'s, Simon Bynbonde & Son's in green and red cases;

OLD TOM—In Bulk;

PORT—Sandeman's & Pages, in bulk and in 3 doz. and 1 doz cases;

CLARETS—Various Brands;

CHAMPAGNES—Benj & Eugene Perrin's and other brands.

JANION, GREEN & RHODES.

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P. M. BACKUS,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant

SALESROOM.

No. 6, Commercial Row, Wharf street
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AUCTION.

Underwriter's Sale.

P. M. BACKUS

IS INSTRUCTED TO SELL ON

THIS DAY,

FRIDAY, Nov. 6th,

At Eleven o'clock, A. M.,

ON THE

HUDSON'S BAY CO.'S WHARF,

For Account of whom it may Concern,

DAMAGED

Ex "JASPER,"

MARKS—

103 over N.W. in dia—Bass's Ale, bottled by Cameron & Saunders;
Nos. 221, 345—65 cases, each 4 doz qts;
" 346, 358—11 cs, ea. 8 doz pints;

R. B. Byass' Porter,

Nos. 1, 188—104 cs, ea. 4 doz qrts;
" 189, 220—11 cs, ea. 8 doz pnts;

ALSOPP'S ALE,

(Bottled by Friend,)

Nos. 359, 483—68 cs, ea. 4 doz qrts;
" 484, 495—4 cs, ea. 8 doz pnts;

In all, 263 cases.

Blankets,

MARKS—

63 over N.W., P.R. under, all in dia.

No. 5,288—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Blue;
" (obliterated)—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Blue;
" (do)—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Blue;
" (do)—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Blue;
" 5,352—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Green
" (obliterated)—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Green;
" (do)—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Scarlet;
" 5,429—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt Scarlet;
" (obliterated)—1 bale, 25 prs, 3-pt White;
" (do)—1 bundle, 20 prs, 3-pt White;

In all, 10 Bales.

INDIAN GUNS;

MARK—

63 over N.W., P.R. under, all in dia.

No. 3,806—1 case containing 10 guns

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Friday Morning, November 6, 1863

A SUPPLEMENT

Is published with this issue owing to a press of matter in our advertising columns.

COMMERCIAL.

Sales at Auction This Day.

P. M. BACKUS will sell this day, at 11 a.m., on the Hudsons Bay Company's Wharf, damaged, Ex Jasper, Byass' Porter, 11 cases; Alsopp's Ale, 263 cases; Blankets, 10 bales; Indian Guns, 5 cases; immediately after which—32 hhds. of Draught Ale and 30 bbls. Draught Porter, &c., &c.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED.

Nov. 5—Sch Surprise, McKay, Nanaimo.
Sch Industry, Walker, Nanaimo.
Slp May Flower, Havener, Cowichan.

CLEARED.

Nov. 5—Sch Industry, Walker, Nanaimo.
Slp Random, Dirk, Bute Inlet.
Slp May Flower, Havener, Cowichan.
Sch Carolena, Patterson, Metlkahtla

BIRTH.

On November 5th, in this City, the Wife of Mr. W. Zelner, of a Daughter.

Nomination Day.

We feel it our duty to remind the Electors that at noon to day their presence is required in front of the Police Barracks to nominate men in whose hands the affairs of the City are to be entrusted for the ensuing twelve months. For the Mayoralty there are only two candidates in the field, and without wishing any ill to his opponent we hope to see the friends of our jovial Mayor rally around him both on this and the polling day in full force, with a fixed determination to reinstate him in the seat which he has filled with such credit to himself and satisfaction to the community at large. Of Councillors there are eight candidates before the electors. For Yates street ward there is at present no opposition, and the presumption is that Messrs. R. Lewis and W. E. Stronach will therefore walk the course For James Bay ward the contest will be between Messrs. W. J. McDonald, James Fell, and James Grahamslaw; and for the third ward Johnson street, there are also three contestants, viz., Messrs. Robert Wallace, A. T. Elliot and Robert Ewing, with every possibility of a fourth—Mr. Hall, being nominated. These gentlemen are all well known citizens, and no doubt the friends of each candidate will exert themselves to secure the return of their respective nominees. We would simply urge upon our fellow citizens the propriety of taking an intelligent and active interest in the election. It is no light trust that is thus to be reposed in the six successful candidates, whoever they may be, and we hope that the electors will shake off that apathy which has already been too conspicuous on this occasion, and at least select from among the candidates those in whose uprightness and ability they have the most confidence.

Guy Faux Day.—Yesterday was a day formerly (and doubtless within the memory of many of our readers), celebrated with much "pomp and circumstance" as the anniversary of the deliverance of the nation from a dire catastrophe, but now so fallen into desuetude, that it is chiefly remembered by the old couplet,

"Remember, remember the Fifth of November,
Gunpowder, treason and plot."

The 5th of November is also the anniversary of another memorable day, the reminiscences of which are of a less pleasing nature, and the remembrance of which yet causes many a family circle to mourn and many a heart to bleed throughout the Kingdom of Great Britain; on that day, nine years ago, was fought the bloody battle of Inkermann, in which thousands of the best and bravest blood of the land heroically died while defending themselves against ten times their number, and whose names will never be forgotten till the immortal deeds of the British army shall have sunk into oblivion.

Creating a Disturbance.—Michael Royle was yesterday brought before Mr. Pemberton, upon the charge of creating a disturbance in the Lyceum, and assaulting Sergeant Hill in the execution of his duty. Royle said he was tipsy, and did not know what he was doing. He had not appeared before his Worship since 1860. Superintendent Smith said he knew nothing against Royle excepting that he belonged to a gang of young men who were noisy last winter and gave trouble to the Police. Mr. Pemberton told Royle that assaulting an officer in the execution of his duty was an indictable offence and could be punished with 12 months imprisonment, but as Royle had not been before the Court for two or three years, he would only impose a fine. The police force was small, and it was his (Mr. P's) duty to protect them. He would fine Royle $25, and in default imprisonment for two months.

A Hurricane.—The threatening weather which prevailed yesterday freshened up towards midnight into one of the most violent gales which we have yet experienced in these latitudes. The force of the wind during some of the squalls was terrific; apprehensions were entertained for the safety of the Mail Steamer Brother Jonathan, as it was supposed that she must have left the Columbia just in time to encounter the full force of the hurricane. We much fear that we shall hear to-day of disasters on land and sea. Sundry damage was caused last night in the city; shutters and sign boards were carried away, and several shop fronts blown in, to say nothing of black eyes occasioned by the promiscuous manner in which "stove pipes" and other "tiles" were perambulating the principal thoroughfares.

Victoria Theatre.—The stormy weather last night militated against a full attendance at the Theatre, but all who had the fortitude to face the combined elements of wind and water were amply repaid. The interesting little comedy "The Barrack Room," and the three act comedy "The Serious Family," with a song from Mrs. Leslie, comprised the programme, Mrs. Leighton, Mr. A. R. Phelps, and the rest of the company doing ample justice to their respective parts. To-night the popular domestic drama of "All that Glitters is not Gold," with Mrs. Leighton as Martha Gibbs, and the amusing afterpieces "A Kiss in the Dark" and "The Fool of the Family" will be performed.

High Price of Lumber in China.—Capt. Naunton, of the ship Somass, disposed of a small lot of lumber last summer in Cheefoo, one of the new treaty ports in China, for from $60 to $75 per M. When the Somass left Amoy, a month ago, there was hardly a foot of lumber in the place, and only a single spar, five ships which had come into port dismasted by Typhoons, having consumed nearly the whole stock on hand. There would appear to be a good market for lumber in some of the Chinese ports, when this can be the case, and although several vessels lumber-laden have lately left this vicinity for China, their destination has been either to Hongkong or Shanghae.

Another Candidate.—Mr. James Grahamslaw, through his address published in our columns this morning, offers himself to the electors as a candidate for James Bay Ward. Mr. Grahamslaw is one of our oldest residents, and all his interests are identified with the growth and prosperity of the city; his address is brief and straightforward, and we doubt not will be favorably received by the electors of the ward.

Lyceum.—The attendance last night was as large as usual. Billy Sheppard, the inimitable delineator of Ethiopian eccentricities, was in high spirits, and was loudly cheered in song and dance. His scenes with the comical Edwards were highly racy and amusing. Miss Lameroux, Miss Jessie, and Harry Courtaine also met with a gratifying reception from the audience.

House of Assembly.—A "count out" again occurred in the Legislative Halls yesterday. The interest of many hon. members in affairs of State seems on the decline.

☞ No meeting of the Committee on Crown Lands was held yesterday.

Licensing Court.

BEFORE A. F. PEMBERTON AND MR. HARRIS, ESQRS.

Thursday, Nov. 5, 1863.

PRINCE OF WALES.

Mr. Bishop applied for a transfer of the license of the Prince of Wales from E. B. Earles to Walter Wakeman.
Application granted.

OCCIDENTAL.

Mr. Wight applied for a license for the above establishment, and stated that he had ascertained on enquiry, that by the regulation laid down by the Bench, there were about one thousand beds in the city and very few of them occupied. Mr. Chielovich in order to comply with the rule laid down by the bench in regard to providing beds would, if the Bench still required it, have the billiard tables removed down stairs and the place fitted up to comply with the rule. This would involve a loss of $7,000 but it would have to be done, if sufficient time were allowed.

Mr. Pemberton remarked, that the rule had been laid down before Mr. Chielovich applied, and he ought to have known whether he could comply with it or not. The rule protected those who had gone to the expense of complying with it. The bench granted the license, and allowed two months for carrying out the regulation.

PONY SALOON.

Leave was granted to C. Hounslow to sell under the old license granted this establishment.

BLUE POST.

License transferred from Hugh Forster to Mr. Bushell.

NEW HOTEL.

Mr. Park applied for a license for the establishment on Government street, nearly opposite the Prince of Wales, built by Mr. E. B. Earles, and stated that this was the same application made by Mr. Earles at the last sitting and adjourned to the present. Since then $500 had been expended upon the house and it was now properly fitted up.

Mr. Bishop opposed on behalf of the Licensed Victuallers Association.

Mr. Park could not understand the opposition of Mr. Bishop. The applicant was a highly respectable miner, well-known upon Williams Creek, and he thought every encouragement ought to be given to an establishment of this sort. Mr. Hetherington would not interfere with the business of other people, but would draw around him a number of miners, and by offering them a home he would prevent many from leaving to spend the winter in California.

Mr. Bishop did not know why an exception should be made in favor of this *rara avis* brought down by his learned friend from Cariboo. It was Mr. Earles application after all, who had just transferred his license to Mr. Wakeman. He thought there were quite sufficient licenses already in that neighborhood, and it was unfair after selling out to Mr. Wakeman, to open a house opposite. He charged Mr. Earle with trafficking with licensed houses. Some rather warm words passed between Mr. Park and Mr. Bishop. Mr. Earles, who was present, lost his temper, and also chimed in; after the storm had abated, Mr. Pemberton said that the applicant, Mr. Hetherington was known to the Bench as a respectable man, and as it had been held out to Mr. Earles at the last sitting that he could obtain a license upon conforming to all requirements, the application must be granted.

The following applications were refused: Trustees of Mary Rothwell by William Rothwell, for premises at Esquimalt; Andrew Astrico "Pacific Telegraph," Store street; Mr. W. H. Hartley's application for Rock Bay House stood over to enable Mr. Hartley to produce some papers.

Before the court rose, Mr. Pemberton announced that the Bench intended making an alteration with respect to requiring a number of beds to be fitted up, but henceforward no application would be entertained unless backed by the recommendation of the inhabitants as in England.

Mr. Bishop observed that the new bill which would be presented to the magistrates by Saturday, contained a similar provision, and assimilated the practice of the licensing business as nearly as possible to the laws at home.

Municipal Expenditure.

The following Statement of Revenue and Expenditure as certified by the Auditors, Messrs. J. N. Thain and W. R. Meldrum, was ordered by the Council at their last sitting on Wednesday night to be placed on the minutes and published.

REVENUE.

From the 3d of April, 1863, to the 31st of Oct., 1863

To Revenue received from Trades' Licenses issued	$12,651 50	
" do do for Fines collected in the Mayor's Court	142 50	
" do do for use of Corporation Seal to affidavits	12 50	
" do do for Fines collected by the Pound Keeper	106 30	
		$12,915 80

EXPENDITURE.

From the 1st of Dec., 1862, to 31st Oct., 1863.

By Disbursements on Account of Salaries	$5569 38	
" do on do of Victoria Fire Depart't	1009 00	
" do on do of Printing	945 74	
" do on do of Office Furniture	826 75	
" do of the Relief Committee	648 33	
" do on account of Street Repairs	1035 46	
" do on do of General Charges	991 61	
" do on do of View Street contract	180 63	
" do as per Pound Keeper's account	65 15	
" do on account of Rent of Pound	30 00	
" do on do of Office Rent	600 00	
		$11,893 05
Receipts in excess of expenditure, 31st October, 1863		$1,022 75

CASH.

31st Oct., 1863. To Cash deposited in the Bank of B. N. A.	$990 36	
" do in the Clerk's Office	32 39	
		$1,022 75

LOAN ACCOUNT.

1863. March 2.—To loan from the Bank of British North America		$24,250 00

EXPENDITURE.

1863. By disbursements on acct. Yates st. Contract	$8399 00	
Do. do. Johnson st. do.	1279 15	
Do. do. Broad st. do.	3077 00	
Do. do. Cormorant st. do.	1050 00	
Do. do. Wharf st. do.	1001 00	
Do. do. Langley st. do.	712 50	
Do. do. View st. do.	300 00	
Do. do. Governmt st. do.	2651 00	
Do. do. Fort st. do.	1000 00	
Do. do. Douglas st. do.	3301 25	
Do. of the Relief Committee blasting rocks on Johnson st.	1353 50	
Do. of the Relief Committee on Government and Johnson sts.	100 00	
		$24,224 40
Balance of Loan Account, Oct. 31, 1863		$ 25 60

LIABILITIES.

To amount due on Cormorant st. Contract, Nov. 1, 1863	$350 00	
" amount due on Douglas st. Contract, Nov. 15, 1863	950 00	
" amount due on Langley st. Contract, Dec. 13, 1863	237 50	
" amount due on View st. Contract, Dec. 27, 1863	106 37	
		$1643 87
" amount due the Victoria Fire Department, in Nov. 1863	$250 00	
" amount due on account of Salaries in the ensuing month	861 87½	
" amount due on account of rent in the ensuing month	300 00	
		$1411 87½
" amount of Debenture Bonds, Nos. 1 to 33, due Dec. 31, 1863	$8250 00	
" 10 months Interest on $24,250, amount of Loan, at 12 per cent. per annum	2425 00	
" Interest due Bank B.N.A., on $1353 advanced in February, to Relief Committee, prior to the issue of the bonds	5 00	
		$10,680 00
		$13,735 75

We, the undersigned, duly appointed and authorised by a resolution of the Finance Committee, had in conformity and pursuance of a resolution of the City Council of Victoria, V.I., duly passed as per minutes of a meeting held on the 26th day of October, A.D. 1863, do hereby certify that we have examined and carefully compared the books containing the cash transactions of the Corporation with the vouchers thereof, and we further certify that at the date hereof there remains a balance in favor of the Corporation of $25 60 on Loan Account, and $1022 75 on Revenue Account, and, moreover, that the above is a correct statement of the accounts.

JAS. N. THAIN, } Auditors.
WM. R. MELDRUM. }

Victoria, V.I., 31st Oct., 1863.

No other matters of interest were discussed by the Council, with the exception of Councillor Searby's ordinance for macadamizing the unfinished portions of streets, the second reading of which, upon a division, was lost by the casting vote of the chair. Council adjourned *sine die.*

Summary Court.

(BEFORE HIS HONOR CHIEF JUSTICE CAMERON.)

McGowen *vs.* Ehrenbache.—This case was again adjourned after the examination of one witness, for the attendance of other witnesses who had not yet obeyed their subpœnas.

Driard *vs.* Langley.—This was an action for the balance of a bill for goods supplied to a third party. Dennes for plaintiff. Green for defendant. The evidence was taken on both sides, and his honor reserved his judgment for the production of plaintiff's books, that it might be shown to whom credit was originally given.

Gibbon *vs.* Bunting & Dodd, Bunting & Dodd *vs.* Gibbon.—This was an action for $50, and a cross-action for $30. Mr. Drake for Bunting & Dodd, and Mr. Bishop for Gibbon. Thirty dollars were admitted on each side, so that the question in dispute resolved itself into the cost of a pair of thorough braces made by Gibbon for B. & D. Plaintiff alleged that he had delivered them, according to order. Defendants said that they had ordered them to be stitched through, whereas they had been sent home unstitched; the braces were for Barnard's Express wagon, and it was alleged on behalf of the defendants that though braces when used for light carriages were usually stitched, yet for heavier wagons they were as often used unstitched.

His Honor, in giving judgment, said that the defendant had failed to prove that the braces were made according to order; consequently there must be a non-suit.

Banks *vs.* Jones.—Drake for plaintiff, Dennes for defendant. This was an action for work done by plaintiff as a painter. The defendant paid $20 into Court, which he said was the amount agreed upon. He failed in proving this agreement, and the Court gave judgment for the whole amount claimed.

Chipp *vs.* Gowan.—Green for plaintiff. The plaintiff claimed $39 for medical attendance and obtained a verdict.

Cooper *vs* Fell.—This was an action to recover the amount of a bill for goods supplied to Mr. Carstone, of Cowichan. Dennes for defendant. Plaintiff said that the goods had been sent to Carstone by schooner to Cowichan, and that he would not have sent them had not Mr Fell undertaken to pay for the goods. Defendant denied guaranteeing the payment at all, and said that Mr. Carstone was a respectable man, who he had no doubt, would pay the amount if the bill was sent to him. He had not applied to him himself, he had nothing to do with the matter. The plaintiff was nonsuited, there being no sufficient evidence of guarantee.

Several other cases were decided, and the Court was adjourned to Monday, the 16th inst., at 10 o'clock.

For Bute Inlet.—The canoe A. Waddington, which started for Bute with supplies on Wednesday last, was obliged through stress of weather to put ashore in Cadboro Bay. Mr. Waddington has chartered the sloop Random to convey the goods to their destination.

War on the Ocean — Escape of the American Clipper Ship "Snow Squall," from a Confederate Pirate.—The ship "Snow Squall," Capt. Dillingham, 94 days from Penang, at New York on 15th September, reports as follows:

July 28, lat. 33 deg. 05 min., south, long. 15 deg. 45 min. east, Cape of Good Hope, bearing southeast by east, half east, distant 160 miles; 3½ o'clock, p. m., made a sail ahead, with which we came up very rapidly. Soon made her out to be a bark standing the same course as ourselves, under whole topsails, we having royal and topmast studding sails set. Set our ensign, which was answered by the American ensign. We ran under her lee to speak her. As we approached her we observed no name on her stern, which aroused our suspicions. We were soon hailed, "Where from and bound?" which having answered, we asked, "What ship?" and received for reply, "Heave to, and I'll send a boat along side of you." To which we promptly replied, "Ay, ay." At this moment her three starboard ports were opened, and as many guns run out and upon us, we being about a ship's length from her.

Of course we were fully aware of the character of the stranger, and having a smart ship under foot, were fully resolved to surrender only when the last hope of escape was gone. Requesting my wife to return to the cabin, I ordered the helm hove up and all possible sail made. The stranger, now observing our movements, fired a blank shot at us, which, having no effect, was soon followed by a solid shot, which fell short about thirty feet; at the same time the Confederate flag took the place of the stars and stripes. We now shot ahead of her, when she made sail as fast as possible, and gave chase after us. It soon became but too apparent that she was too light for us, being in good ballast trim while we were very deep—the wind in the meantime becoming light and unsteady, with every prospect of a calm. We, therefore, on consultation, deemed it advisable to lighten the ship as the only possible chance of escape and immediately stove several casks of water, and hove overboard a considerable quantity of heavy provisions, and then reluctantly sacrificed a small portion of the cargo. At about 6 o'clock the chase swung broadside and fired a shot at us, but without effect, and then continued the chase. Soon after this, finding we were distancing him, we desisted from lightening the ship, all hands uniting in thanks to God for his gracious deliverance.

The bark was about 500 tons, evidently eastern built, and quite new; had carved work on her stern, surmounted by an eagle; cabin on deck, set in a half-poop. In her present trim she is very fast, and few are the India ships that can outsail her. She was thoroughly disguised as a merchantman, having her ports closed and her fore-royal down, as is quite common for vessels doubling the "Cape," and standing to the north east, that vessels might the more readily overtake her. I may remark that we each kept an ensign flying while daylight lasted. September 1st, lat. 21 deg. 23 min., lon. 65 deg. 5 min., 5 p. m., made a steamer to the S. W., apparently standing to the S. W., under steam only. Directly after she made all sail and hauled by the wind, heading about north, evidently desiring to communicate with us. Not fancying his movements we hauled by the wind under all sail. At sunset she was about six miles off on our lee beam, and thought she had the appearance of a British mail steamer, yet as her movements were suspicious, feared lest she intended cutting us off. As soon as darkness obscured our movements, we stood in another direction and soon lost sight of her.

Death of an American Sailor.—It is with regret we announce the decease at the Hospital on the 27th instant, at 10 o'clock, p. m., of the brave American sailor, Andrew Wallace, who was so badly wounded in the battle of the United States steamer Wyoming, at Simonoseki. Wallace was truly a brave fellow, and had been in four battles, viz.—at the bombardment and destruction of the Bogue Forts, below Canton, on the U. S. sloop Portsmouth, at the battles at Hatteras Inlet and Port Royal, in the United States, and at the battle of Simonoseki, where he was wounded in four places. He had been sixteen years in the United States service and received the soldier's honored burial.—*Japan Com. News.*

Duelling in Japan.—Two officers of a Prussian ship-of-war in harbor are reported to have fought a duel on the border of this settlement. They fought with pistols, and one of the combatants received a severe wound, which, if happily not of a nature to cause his death, is, we hear, calculated to deprive him of the use of his hand for long enough—perhaps, for ever. We heard that the successful combatant had no less than five challenges on hand from his brother officers—all accepted, and some under conditions which if carried into effect, would ensure the death of one of the parties.—*Japan Com. News.*

Is Dancing a Healthy and Harmless Recreation?—We contend that it is innocent and healthy when not indulged in to excess, and we recommend the lovers of the dance to patronise Henston, Hastings & Co., the celebrated Clothiers of Montgomery street, San Francisco, for they have the finest articles used in the ball rooms and parties, all the little matters of wear that beaux delight to appear in before the eyes of their lady loves. *

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The Miner to His Claim.

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Good morning, noble "Prince of Wales'," the sun is shining bright,
And like the lovely morn, you fills my bosom with delight.
Thy "washing up" each morning fills with gladness every eye,
Then who would, not most noble Prince, extol thee to the sky?
Chorus—Drift away, hoist away, pound away the earth, Rattle up the "dump box" to bring the treasure forth,
And whether 'tis in "fine dust," in "nuggets," or in "scales,"
We thank thee for thy pleasant gifts, most noble Prince of Wales.

Dear Prince, thou art my dearest friend, both generous and free,
And all my feelings fondly rise in gratitude to thee
Before a "prospect" proved thy worth, on thee I "went my pile."
And now I dearly love each morn to meet thy golden smile.
Chorus—Drift away, etc.

'Tis said that man was made of dust, when first the world began,
And even in these latter days 'tis "dust" that makes the man;
Just make a note of that, dear Prince, and let thy neighbors see
A veritable man of dust in each that sticks to thee.
Chorus—Drift away, etc.

There's Camp, a social generous soul, and loyal to the core,
Billsland, Dinwoodie, and of Johns, a "round half dozen" more,
When far from thee and Cariboo, they'll spin their mining tales,
And toast thy splendors o'er and o'er, thou glorious Prince of Wales.
Chorus—Drift away, etc.

And Prince, through all vicissitudes of sunshine and of shade,
I've stuck to thee, while friends around loud murmurings have made,
And when thy golden reign is o'er to Mary I will flee,
And that's a *lovely* reason, Prince, why you should stick to me
Chorus—Drift away, etc.

Dear Prince, the sympathetic heart to death would surely bleed
For thousands here in Cariboo who cannot find the "lead;"
But still, for all the miseries a mining life entails,
May each find yet in Cariboo, a *special* Prince of Wales,
Chorus—Drift away, etc.

O Prince, there is another Prince, far o'er the rolling sea,
Among the Princes of the earth there's none like him and thee,
You both are made of "sterling" stuff, of nature's virgin mould;
He is the Prince of Britain's Isle, and *thou*—the Prince of Gold.
Chorus—Drift away, etc.

[From the Oregonian]

Etymology of the Word Oregon.

Jonathan Carver, an English captain in the wars by which the Canadas came into the possession of Great Britain, after the peace, left Boston June 6th, 1766, crossed the continent to the Pacific, and returned October, 1768. In the relation of his travels, which were published in 1774, and republished in 1778, he is the first who makes use of the word Oregon. The origin of that word has never been discovered in the country. The first Catholic missionaries, Father Demers, now Bishop of Vancouver Island, and Father Blanchet, now Archbishop of Oregon City, arrived in Oregon in 1838. They traveled through it for many years, from south to north, from west to east, visiting and teaching the numerous tribes of Oregon, Washington Territory, and British possessions. But in all their various excursions among the Indians, they never succeeded in finding the origin of the word Oregon.

Now, it appears that what could not be found in Oregon, has been discovered by Archbishop Blanchet, in Bolivia, when he visited that country, Chile and Peru, in 1856 and 1857. Since his return, Archbishop Blanchet, on many occasions, has communicated his discovery. Hence, perhaps the explanation given in the *Weekly Mountaineer* of the 4th, and the *Weekly Oregonian* of the 5th inst. But as the former is altogether incorrect and the latter not satisfactory, the subscriber presumes it will be pleasing to many to have a correct record of the explanation. The word Oregon, in his opinion, most undoubtedly has its root in the Spanish word *Oreja*, ear; and came from the qualifying word *Orejon*, big ear. For it is probable that the Spaniards, who first discovered and visited the country, when they saw the Indians with big ears, enlarged by the load of ornaments, were naturally inclined to call them Orejon, big ears. That nickname, first given to the Indians, became also the name of the country. This explains how Captain Carver got it and first made use of it. But the travelers, perhaps Carver himself, not knowing the Spanish language, nor the peculiar pronunciation of the j in Spanish, for facility sake, would have it written and pronounced Oregon instead of Orejon, in changing j to g. Such, in all probability, must be the origin of the word Oregon. It came from the Spanish word Orejon. This discovery is due, in justice to the learned Dr. George Haygarth, A. M., M. D., of London, a man well versed in the Spanish, whom the Archbishop met in Bolivia. So much for the etymology of the word Oregon.

This probability becomes a conviction when we consider how customary it is for travelers in a new country to give appropriate names, and how generally these names are received, retained, and pass to posterity. We have now few instances of this practice on the Pacific coast, and in Oregon in particular. Oregon was visited and travelled all through as early as 1811, and perhaps before, by a number of French Canadians. They freely used the right of travelers in giving the Indian tribes, rivers and localities, French names, which have been kept and used ever since, and which are with difficulty properly written and pronounced in English, if there be not due attention paid to their French extraction. Thus some Indian tribes were called;

Les Nez Perces—the Pierced Noses.
Les Tetes Plates—the Flat heads.
Les Pend d'Oreilles—the Ear rings.
Les Chaudieres—the Kettle Falls, (near Colville)
Les Cœurs d'Alenes—the Pointed Hearts.
Les Serpents—the Snakes.
Some rivers were named,
La Riviere des Chutes—the River of the Falls.
La Creole—the Creole; perhaps the name of a man, now improperly written Rickreoll, in Yamhill county.
Some places were called:
Les Cascades—the Cascades.
Les Dales (not Dalles)—the Strait Canal.
Le Grand Rond—the Grand Round.

I beg leave to terminate my remarks in saying that when words and names of another tongue are kept and used, their orthography ought also to be strictly adhered to. Thus, the Spanish word Cañon (a narrow place, a strait) ought to retain its proper feature; consequently it should not be written canyon, but cañon; because the Spanish, n with a bar over it, has the sound of gn, as if it were written cagnon. F. N. B.

Portland, Sept. 10, 1863.

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DO (In wood)—Tennent's No XXX;
ALE—(In wood)—Tennent's No 3;
DO (In bottle)—Allsop's, by Friend & Byass, Bass' Tennent's, etc.

SPIRITS,

BRANDY—Martell's Old Pale and Dark, in case cask;
DO Crabbe's & Co.'s Pale, in case;
DO Tribat, Fils & Co., Pale, in case and qr casks;
DO Hennessy Champagne Cognac in case
DO Henri Ulounier, in case;
DO Otard, Dupuy & Co., in case.
RUM—Old Jamaica;
WHISKY—Scotch case, Stewart's, Braekla, Sheeds & Gillon's;
DO Scotch cask, Crawford's Royal Highland, Stewart's, Paisley Stewart's Kerkliston, and the well-known Ardley.

WINES.

PORT, SHERRY, CLARET, BURGUNDY, } In 1 2 and 3 dozen cases. In qr. casks, hogsheads, and pipes, and from ordinary to, choice qualities;
BRITISH WINES—Ginger Cordial and Wine, Raspberry Vinegar, and Lime Juice

GROCERIES.

Glenfield Starch;	Leaf Sugar;
Wotherspoon's Confectionery;	Chickory;
Biscuits;	Belmont Candles;
Preserved Meats, 1 and 2 lb. tins;	Liquorice;
Preserved Soups, 1 and 2 lb. tins;	Brown Yellow Soap;
Preserved Game, 1 and 2 lb. tins;	Marine and Mottled Soap,
Preserved Vegetables, in 1 and 2 lb. tins;	Malt Vinegar;
Pie Fruits;	White Wine Vinegar;
	Finger Blue;
	Oilmen's Stores;
	Jams and Jellies;
	Cheddar Cheese.

DRY GOODS.

Long Cloths;	Croydon Sheeting;
Blue Ticking;	Grey Drills;
Counterpanes;	Damask;
Marseilles Quilts;	Grey Sheeting;
Maddar Prints;	Blankets and Army Cloth

CLOTHING.

Boots and Shoes—Mens' and Women's, a large variety;	Hosiery;
Hats and Caps;	White Linen Shirts;
Printed Cotton Shirts;	Furs;
Baltic "	Pilot and Tweed Suits;
Angola and Saxony; "	Doe and Mixed Melton do
Heavy Serge "	Corahs for Indians;
	" superior quality;
	Underclothing.

HARDWARE & SADDLERY

Assorted Invoices from well-known Houses;
IRON SAFES.

NAVAL STORES.

Bolt Rope;	Oil—Boiled;
Manila Rope;	Bunting—All colors;
European Rope;	Seaming Twine;
Ensigns;	Canvas—No 1 to 7;
Brushes and Mops;	Putty, Palms;
Blocks, single and double	Marline and House-line;
Tar—Stockholm;	Fishing and Log lines;
Varnish black and bright	Pitch—British.

MISCELLANEOUS

Force Pumps;	Pipes;	Stationery;
Fire Engines;	Powder;	Wrapping Paper
Slates;	Steam Engines;	White Lead;
Roofing Iron;	Perfumery;	Black Paint.

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Notice to the Public.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY announces to his friends and the public that he has opened the

CIGAR, TOBACCO AND FRUIT STORE

Lately occupied by L. Wiessberger, on Johnson street corner of Government street, next door to the Butcher's Shop, Victoria, V. I.
oc19 1m J. MANN

MISCELLANEOUS.

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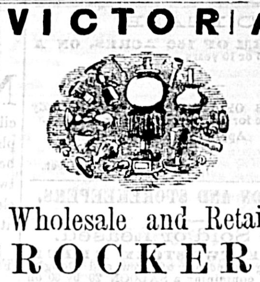
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CROCKERY
GLASSWARE
—AND—
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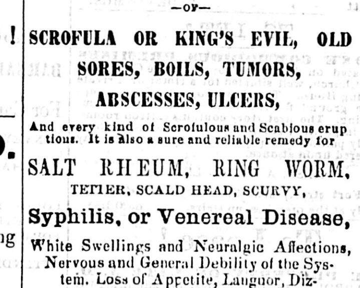
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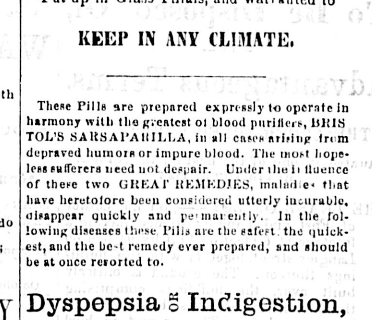

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LOT 47 ON JOHNSON STREET, WITH two first-class Houses, Out-Houses, Well, Stables, Offices, &c. Situated in the centre of the most substantial improvements in the city. Both houses can be leased immediately at good rents.
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THE PRESENT PROPRIETOR MR. Jas. Wilcox, being about to establish a business on Williams Creek, Cariboo, will lease the above Hotel for a term of years, including Bar, Restaurant, Sleeping Apartments, and houses attached, either with or without Stock and Fixtures.
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October 29th, 1863. oc30 tf

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TO LEASE, 180 FEET ON GOVERNMENT, between Johnson and Cormorant streets, well adapted for business purposes of every description. Also, 120 feet on Cormorant, below Government street.
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Apply at the premises, up stairs. oc20 1m*

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THE PROPERTY OF LATE J. D. CARROLL, near the Springs, and adjoining the town limits of Victoria, consisting of nearly Five Acres of Land, cleared and fenced in.
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October 15th, 1863. oc15 1m

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A HOUSE AND TWO LOTS

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The Lots are well situated, fenced, cleared, and under cultivation. The House contains two Rooms, and will be sold with all fixtures and furniture, ready for immediate occupation.

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On the premises,
Or to
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Oak and Pine Wood cut to order all required lengths.

All orders left at the office will be delivered free of cartage or porterage in any part of the city.

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Wharf street, west of James Bay. oc23

MUNICIPAL.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the nomination for Mayor and Councillors to serve in the ensuing year, will take place on FRIDAY, the sixth day of November, 1863, in front of the Police Barracks, at twelve o'clock, noon; and the votes of the electors will be taken on the day following, at the undermentioned places, viz.:

For the Mayor, and two Councillors for Yates Street Ward—In front of the Police Barracks.

For two Councillors in James Bay Ward—Old Fort Yard.

For two Councillors in Johnson Street Ward — Building adjoining Parker's Livery Stables on Johnson street.

The Poll will be kept open from eight a. m. to four o'clock, p. m.

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE, October 30th, 1863
oc31

TO THE

Municipal Electors

—OF THE—

CITY OF VICTORIA.

GENTLEMEN,—HAVING BEEN STRONGly solicited to come forward at the next Municipal Election, I again have the honor to offer myself as a Candidate for the Mayoralty of this city.

My conduct as Mayor for the past year must be my guarantee for the future; and I trust it returned, that I shall discharge my public duties even more efficiently than during my present term of office.

Should you do me the honor to re-elect me as your Chief Magistrate, I shall discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and zeal; and I trust in such a manner as to meet with your hearty approbation.

I have the honor to be
Your obedient servant,
oc5 tf THOS. HARRIS.

TO THE

Municipal Electors

OF THE

CITY OF VICTORIA.

GENTLEMEN—AT THE REQUEST of a large number of my fellow-citizens, I shall offer myself as Candidate for the Mayoralty at the ensuing election.

I had the great honor last year to be returned at the head of the poll; and if elected Chief Magistrate of this City for next year, I shall continue an independent course of action, irrespective of either clique or party, and pledge myself not to accept any appointment to interfere with my official duties.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN COPLAND.
Langley street, 2d October, 1863. oc6

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New Westminster, March 13, 1863. oc24

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OFFICE, MACDONALD & CO., BANKERS,
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THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS and passengers is particularly directed to the superior facilities the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's Line affords for the speedy conveyance of Treasure, Goods and Passengers to and from England to British Columbia and Vancouver Island, in connection with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Vessels and the Panama Railroad.

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Temporary Office, Government street, next to Drake's Office

October 13th, 1863. oc13

Partnership Notice.

I HAVE THIS DAY ENTERED INTO partnership with MR. J. G. VINTER, of this city, and will in future carry on business under the name and style of

WALTON & VINTER.
[Signed] HENRY WALTON.
October 13th, 1863. oc14

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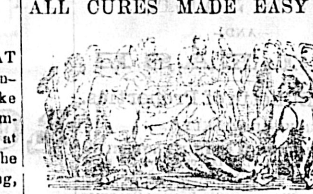

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Bad Legs, Ulcerous Sores, Bad Breasts, and Old Wounds.

No description of wound, sore or ulcer can resist the healing properties of this excellent Ointment. The worst cases readily assume a healthy appearance whenever this medicament is applied; sound flesh springs up from the bottom of the wound, inflammation of the surrounding skin is arrested, and a complete and permanent cure quickly follows the use of the Ointment.

Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflammation.

These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighboring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage: the most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.

Rheumatism, Gout and Neuralgia.

Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and subduing pain in these complaints in the same degree as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills. When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation and depravities from the system, subdue and remove all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be effected, even under the worst circumstances, if the use of these medicines be persevered in.

Eruptions, Scald Head, Ringworm, and other Skin Diseases.

After fomentation with warm water, the utmost relief and speediest cure can be readily obtained in all complaints affecting the skin and joints, by the simultaneous use of the Ointment and Pills. But it must be remembered that nearly all skin diseases indicate the depravity of the blood and derangement of the liver and stomach; consequently in many cases time is required to purify the blood which will be effected by a judicious use of the Pills The general health will readily be improved, although the eruption may be driven out more freely than before, and which should be promoted; perseverance is necessary.

Sore Throats, Diptheria, Quinsey, Mumps, and all other Derangements of the Throat.

On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat; this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.

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This class of cases may be cured by Holloway's purifying Pills and Ointment, as their double action of purifying the blood and strengthening the system renders them more suitable than any other remedy for all complaints of a scrofulous nature. As the blood is impure, the liver stomach and bowels being much deranged, require purifying medicine to bring about a cure.

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Bad Breasts	Chilblains	Gout	Skin-diseases
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Bunions	Corns (Soft)	Swellings	Sore-heads
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JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.
Victoria, September 12, 1862. oc13

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JAMES DICKSON, M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner in the Life Branch.

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Arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuses, attended with the following Symptoms:

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CURES

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In their last stages; little or no change in diet; at little expense; no inconvenience, and no exposure. It causes a frequent desire and gives strength to urinate, thereby removing obstructions preventing and curing Strictures of the Urethra, allaying pain and inflammation, so frequent in the class of diseases, and expelling all poisons, diseased and worn out matter. Thousands upon thousands who have been the victims of quacks, and who have paid heavy fees to be cured in a short time, have found they were deceived, and that the "poison" has, by the use of "powerful astringents," been dried up in the system, to break out in an aggravated form, and PERHAPS AFTER MARRIAGE.

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Very respectfully.
D. WEBSTER HAINES, M. D.

PITTSBURG, May 14th, 1863.

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Truly yours.
W. F. CLINTON, M D.

BALTIMORE, April 13, 1857.

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Very respectfully yours,
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Cornhill "	The Quarterly Review;
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